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Docket No.: 002717P017 *2667*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Yip et al.

Application No.: 09/761,281

Filed: January 16, 2001

For: Method and Apparatus for Server Load
Balancing

Examiner: Daniel K. Lam

Art Group: 2667

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed June 9, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Amendments to the Drawings: explanation of drawing amendments begin on page 6 and replacement sheets including Fig. 1-4 are attached following page 9.

Remarks begin on page 7.